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Sir:

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO SEPTEMBER 27, 2006 OFFICE ACTION, PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME AND A SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

This Amendment is submitted in response to a September 27, 2006 Office Action issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified application. The September 27, 2006 Office Action provides a three-month period for filing a response. Therefore, a response was originally due on December 27, 2006. Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time. The fee for a three-month extension of time is \$510.00 for a small entity, and such status is applicable to this application. A check including that amount is enclosed. With a three-month extension of time, a response to the September 27, 2006 Office Action is due March 27, 2007. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

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